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R 131146 Z MAR 73
FM AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2715
INFO AMEMBASSY BLANTYRE
AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN
AMEMBASSY LISBON
AMCONSUL LUANDA
AMEMBASSY LUSAKA
AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E. O. 11652: N/ A
TAGS: PINS, MZ
SUBJECT: FRELIMO ATTACK ON GAGO COUTINHO

REFERENCE : LOURENCO MARQUES 153 AND 189

1. FRELIMO HAS NOT MADE MAJOR ISSUE OF ATTACK AGAINST GAGO COUTINHO DISCUSSED REFTELS. IN BRIEF COMMUNIQUE ISSUED DAR ES SALAAM
MARCH 5 WHICH RECEIVED MINIMAL LOCAL PRESS ATTENTION, FRELIMO CLAIMED THAT IT " TURNED INTO ASHES FORTIFIED PORTUGUESE CAMP" OF GAGO COUTINHO. COMMUNIQUE ADDED THAT MANY PORTUGUESE SOLDIERS WERE KILLED AND PORTUGUESE RETURNED FIRE USING JET FIGHTERS AND HELICOPTERS.

2. TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE WILL BE POUCHED.
CARTER

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